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Frank M. Tejeda Texas State Veterans Home to honor heroes on Veterans Day

Mayor, County Judge, veterans groups expected to attend Tuesday event

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Floresville, Texas — The heroes at the Frank M. Tejeda Texas State Veteran Home will be honored for their service on Tuesday.

A Veterans Day Ceremony will take place 10:45 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 11 (Veterans Day) at the entrance of the Frank M. Tejeda Texas State Veterans Home, 200 Veterans Drive, in Floresville. The invitation-only event will be followed by a barbecue luncheon.

The ceremony line-up includes guest speaker, Marine Sgt. Major (Ret.) Gregg Henricks, commander of American Legion Commander Post 38. A special presentation will be made by representatives from Lackland Air Force Base. Floresville Mayor Diana Garza and Wilson County Judge Marvin Quinney are expected to attend.

The Floresville High School ROTC will post the colors, accompanied by music provided by the Floresville High School Chorale. Other special guests include the Knights of Columbus, VFW Post 8555, and American Legion Post 38.

Texas State Veterans Homes are where honor lives. The Frank M. Tejeda Texas State Veterans Home in Floresville opened in 2000 and provides first-class long term care for up to 160 residents, including up to 32 Alzheimer's residents in a separate, secured unit.

The home is named after former Marine, Vietnam Veteran and Bronze Star recipient Frank M. Tejeda. Tejeda also served in the Texas Senate and in Congress, where he was a longtime veterans advocate responsible for obtaining a VA outpatient clinic for Bexar County.

To attend, or for more information, contact the Frank M. Tejeda home at (830)393-7764.

WHO: Texas Veterans and their loved ones

WHAT: Veterans Day program

WHERE: Frank M. Tejeda Texas State Veterans Home, 200 Veterans Drive, Floresville

WHEN: Tuesday, Nov. 11 (Veterans Day)

WHY: To honor all Texas Veterans for their service

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